

Program Alerts

The Kentucky Medicaid EHR Incentive Program is currently accepting attestations for Program Year 2016 AIU. System changes for Meaningful Use are in process and anticipate a go live date in December. In preparation to attest to Program Year 2016 MU and for future program years, it is highly encouraged to review the program requirements and public health guidance that is available as the requirements have been changing from year to year. Please visit and bookmark the Kentucky Medicaid EHR Incentive Program website at <http://chfs.ky.gov/dms/EHR.htm> or the KHIE website at <http://khie.ky.gov/PAGES/INDEX.ASPX> to have these valuable resources at your fingertips!

Important Dates

Eligible Professionals and Eligible Hospitals:

- **2016**
Last year to initiate participation in Medicaid EHR Incentive Program.
- **December 2016**
Go live for Program Year 2016 Meaningful Use attestations.
- **December 2, 2016**
Healthcare Transformation Regional Roadshow – Erlanger
- **December 8, 2016**
Healthcare Transformation Regional Roadshow – Owensboro
- **January 1, 2017**
Reporting year begins for Program Year 2017.
- **January 26, 2017**
Healthcare Transformation Regional Roadshow – Lexington
- **February 28, 2017**
Last day to submit registration for Program Year 2016.
- **March 31, 2017**
Last day to submit an attestation to receive an incentive payment for Program Year 2016.
- **December 31, 2017**
Reporting year ends for Program Year 2017.
- **2021**
Last year to receive Medicaid EHR incentive payment.

For Help with Meaningful Use

Regional Extension Centers (REC) with Kentucky Service

- Kentucky REC at the University of Kentucky: <http://kentuckyrec.com/>
- NorthEast Kentucky Regional Health Information Organization: <http://nekyrhio.org/>

For Help from Kentucky Medicaid

- Medicaid EHR website <http://chfs.ky.gov/dms/ehr.htm>
- Send an email to ehrincentives@ky.gov
- Send an email from Send E-mail function at <https://prdweb.chfs.ky.gov/KYSLR/Login.aspx>
- Submit an Issue/Concern through attestation website

Getting Started

- ✓ Register at CMS
- ✓ Individual NPI and Registration Identifier (assigned by CMS)
- ✓ Payment reassignment documentation
- ✓ 90 day patient volume report
- ✓ Meaningful Use reports for MU reporting period
- ✓ Certified EHR Technology (CEHRT) supporting documentation
- ✓ Screen shot of CMS Certification ID from the Certified Health IT Product List website
- ✓ Meaningful Use Confirmation form (provided by KHIE) and/or Go-Live Approval form (provided by KHIE)

Kentucky Medicaid EHR Incentive Program Status, November 28, 2016

	Registrations	Completed Attestations	Total Paid	Amount Paid
Hospitals	95	273	263	\$132,457,438.05
Providers	4,735	7,545	6,094	\$95,626,417.19
Totals	4,830	7,818	6,357	\$228,083,855.24

Kentucky Medicare EHR Incentive Program Status, July 2016

Total Payments to EPs and EHs: 10,806

Total Amount Paid: \$379,086,957.18

KHIE Connection

Kentucky Health Information Exchange (KHIE) is the Public Health Authority in the Commonwealth for the public health measures within the EHR Incentive Program. In order to be deemed a Meaningful User the provider must have a signed Participation Agreement and signed addendum(s) on file with KHIE for each public health objective selected for attestation.

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